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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

My family and I depend on the Internet connection for medical notifications, banking transactions, email and a myriad of other on-line services. I chose a competitive provider because I was dissatisfied with the poor service and outages I got with ATT. I chose competitive telephone service an have be please with the service as well. I strongly support broadband competition at reasonable cost. I also don't want to be forced to purchase "bundled" TV service that I don't need in order to get reasonably priced on-line service.

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